

**The King Hat is Guaranteed for One Year**



An Insurance Policy Goes With Each "King" Hat. If you wear one of these celebrated hats for one year and it does not give you Entire Satisfaction, bring it back to us and we will refund your money or give you a New Hat. You, Mr. Wearer, are to be judge and jury. A Shape For Every Face, and you can depend upon it, that these shapes are correct in every detail.

**A HAT FOR EVERY FACE**

Youths' and Boys' Felt and Straw Hats—Opened this week—in Natty Styles. Felts at 50c. to \$1.25. Straws, 25c. to \$2.00.

**MEN'S SUMMER UNDERWEAR AT SAVING PRICES**

The "Corker," as its name implies, is an Extra Good Garment for the money—Well Made Fine Balbriggan—at 25c. per Garment.

Men's Extra Fine Balbriggan—Made From Pure Egyptian Yarn—in Long or Short Sleeves—50c. per garment.

Men's B. V. D. Underwear—Good Quality Linen—Combination or Separate Garments, in long or short sleeves, and knee or full length drawers—Combinations, 75c. to \$1.00 per suit; Single Garments at 50c.

Natur Wool Underwear, in summer weight, at 50c., 75c. and \$1.00 per garment.

Boys' Balbriggan Underwear, in long or short sleeves, at 25c. per garment.

**Wash Goods For Warm Weather Wear**

Radum Foulards—The most popular goods for summer wear—looks like but wears better than silk. Comes in spot, stripe and fancy patterns in all the new shades, also in bordered effects, at 25c. per yard.

Plain Volles—A light weight sheer goods—Comes in all the wanted shades, at 25c. per yard.

Bedford Pique—A most serviceable fabric and the one you have been reading so much about in the fashion journals—Comes in tans, linen, white, blue, black and cadet, at 18c. per yard.

**WHITE GOODS ARE POPULAR**

We have never shown such an assortment of popular white wash goods.

Vestings at 15c., 20c. and 25c.

Bedford Cords at 18c. and 25c.

Shau Su Repp at 20c.

Piques at 15c., 20c., 25c. and 35c.

Shamrock Poplins at 20c. and 25c.

Irish Linen Pongee—An ideal fabric for ladies' and children's wear, comes in linen, blue, pink and tans, 25c. per yard.

**A. BROWN & CO.**

**OVERALLS FREE**

We are Sole Agents for Walker's Overalls, made in Walkerville, Ont. We guarantee 10 cents for every Button that comes off, and 25 cents for every rip, and for every six pockets cut from worn garments we will give you one pair of Overalls or Smock Free. Get the habit of saving your pockets.

**SOLD AND GUARANTEED BY A. BROWN & CO.**  
Also by the Walker Pant and Overall Co., Walkerville, Ont.

**THE MERCHANTS' BANK OF CANADA**

President.....SIR H. MONTAGU ALLEN  
Vice-President.....JOSUAH BONDUR, Esq.  
General Manager.....E. F. HADEN

Paid-up Capital.....\$6,000,000  
Reserve Fund and Undivided Profits.....5,458,878  
Deposits Nov. 30, 1911.....63,494,580  
Assets Nov. 30, 1911.....81,928,960

183 BRANCHES IN CANADA.

General Banking Business transacted. SAVINGS DEPARTMENT at all Branches. Deposits of \$1.00 and upwards received and interest allowed at best current rates.

**Watford Branch - F. KENWARD, Manager**

**Warm Weather is Coming**

- Richmond Refrigerators \$9.00, \$12.00, \$16.00
- New Perfection Oil Stoves \$8.00 to \$15.50
- Ice Cream Freezers . . . \$2.25 to \$3.50
- Screen Doors (any size) . . \$1.00 to \$1.75
- Screen Windows . . . 15c. to 35c.
- Lawn Mowers . . . \$3.75 to \$6.00

This is the Famous Brookville Mower and will please you, as it cuts evenly and runs easily.

**The N. B. Howden Est.**

**FARMER CUTS HIS THROAT**

John R. Smith, Prosperous Plympton Farmer, Ends His Life With Razor

John R. Smith, a prosperous Plympton farmer, was found dead Sunday evening in the woods in the rear of his farm, two miles from Wyoming. His throat had been cut and a razor was lying near the body.

Mr. Smith was in his 61st year and lived on the town line east, his farm being lot 19, con. 1. He was seen on Sunday morning going to the woods, as was his custom, accompanied by his dog. His wife became uneasy when he did not return for dinner or tea, and reported to a neighbor, Mr. George Hartley, who discovered the body. The deed had evidently been committed in the forenoon.

Dr. W. Reid, coroner, drove out to the scene, with Mr. McKay, undertaker, but decided that an inquest was unnecessary.

One cause of the tragedy is supposed to have been worry over the sale of his farm.

Mr. Smith recently sold the farm to Wilson, of the sixth line, but after completing the transaction he repented and paid the purchaser a considerable sum to call off the deal. He evidently again changed his mind, and last week made inquiries about Mr. Wilson at the bank here to ascertain if he had purchased another farm yet.

When the deal was called off he agreed to give his son Charles the farm if he would remain at home instead of going to the West.

The late Mr. Smith is survived by his wife and adult family, and three brothers William, George, and Phineas, all residents of this locality. His widow is a sister of Mr. John Forbes, London Road. The family is in comfortable circumstances, and no adequate cause can be assigned for the act unless Mr. Smith's mind had become unbalanced from brooding over his business transactions. The funeral was held on Wednesday afternoon from the family residence to Wyoming cemetery.

**ROSY CHEEKS STRONG NERVES**

Should be the Birthright of Every Woman and Growing Girl

Many women and growing girls who should have bright eyes, rosy cheeks, strong nerves and elastic step, and a good appetite, are seen to decline in health. Their spirits grow sluggish, the cheeks become pale, temper fitful, and the nerves over-sensitive. They may have inherited a tendency to ill health, or they may have over-worked, over-studied or worried until the strength of the body was not equal to the demands made upon it.

To guard against a complete breakdown in health the blood must be kept pure and rich. No other medicine can do this so well as Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, for they act both on the blood and nerves, restore the appetite and keep every organ toned up. All women cannot rest whenever they should, but this strengthening medicine is within every woman's reach, and will keep them in the enjoyment of good health. And it is especially important that in every stage of woman's life the blood supply be kept pure and rich. The value of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is well illustrated by the case of Mrs. David Chambers, Bensford, Ont., who says: "Some years ago I suffered greatly from impoverished blood. I was very pale and thin and had no strength. I took a lot of doctor's medicine without getting any benefit, and at last decided to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which I heard highly recommended. It was not long before I began to feel better, and after taking the Pills for perhaps a couple of months my health was fully restored, and although some years have passed I have continued strong and healthy, and I think I owe it entirely to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills."

"Sometime later my daughter, then about twelve years of age, had been working very hard at school and her health gave way. She was weak and listless and her hands and feet were badly swollen and we feared dropsy was setting in. However, we started to give her Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and she was soon quite well again. I think I owe it entirely to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to any suffering as we did, knowing the benefit our family received from them."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all medicine dealers or will be sent by mail, post paid, at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 by writing The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Mrs. R. G. Taylor, of Strathroy, is using the Curling Kink Co. there for \$500 damages for the piling up of snow and ice on her property during the winter and disturbing noise made late at night.

**Methodist District Meeting**

The annual district meeting of Strathroy District will be held in the Methodist Church, Petrolia, on Thursday and Friday, the 22nd and 23rd inst. This district includes the Methodist circuits and stations from Mount Brydges to Edy's Mills and from Arkona to Alvinston. These will be about thirty laymen and ministers in attendance. A public meeting will be held in the church at night, at which several speakers will give addresses on timely topics.

The work of the various sessions will consist of the reception and tabulation of the statistics of the year's work, for the annual conference, which convenes in London the first week in June, the examination of probationers for the ministry, and other matters pertaining to the interests of the church.

Rev. W. H. Graham, B. A., of Strathroy, chairman of the district, will preside. Rev. C. F. Logan, M. A., is financial secretary.

**School Inspection in Country**

R. T. Abraham, of Chatham, has been appointed field agent to visit rural schools in Middlesex, Essex, Kent, Elgin, Lambton, Norfolk, Haldimand, Welland, Lincoln, Wentworth, Brant, Oxford, Waterloo, Perth, Huron and Bruce. Field agents are a new department, and while their first duty is to visit and inspect and report upon the schools, undertaking to give systematic instruction in agriculture, and thus qualify for special grants, they are free to give their services as far as possible whenever and in whatever way the improvement of county schools or of county school studies need them.

**Must Advertise Before Marriage**

The new marriage act of last session which requires non-residents of a municipality, county, or district, to give three weeks' notice of an intended marriage came into force on the 15th inst. The act makes it necessary for non-residents desiring to secure a marriage license to advertise their intention in local newspapers once a week for three weeks, and to present affidavits and copies of the notices to the issues of licenses. Exception to this will only be made under special circumstances and upon direct appeal to the Registrar-General. This legislation, while aimed at secret marriages generally, is especially directed at the "Gretna Green" at Windsor, where the marrying of young people from across the line has become quite a profitable business. In addition to the advertisement clauses, the act contains sections making clergymen and others qualified to perform marriage, subject to a heavy penalty for marrying persons they know to be under the influence of liquor, or mentally deficient.

**COURT OF REVISION**

THE COURT OF REVISION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF WARWICK will be held in the Town Hall, Warwick Village

—ON—  
**MONDAY, JUNE 9th, 1913**  
AT TEN O'CLOCK A. M.,  
to hear and decide any complaints against the assessment of the Township of Warwick.

N. HERBERT, Clerk.  
Warwick, May 23rd 1913. td

A Mitchell woman has been placed on the Indian list.

**WALL PAPERS**

SEE OUR SAMPLES BEFORE MAKING YOUR SELECTION

Many of our patterns which are getting low are reduced in price to clear out in short order.

If it's not convenient for you to come down phone or send for one of our sample books.

**J. W. McLAREN**

DRUGGIST, STATIONER,  
Issuer of Marriage Licenses

The Rexall Store

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**LOCAL HAPPEN**

THE GUIDE-ADVOCATE welcomes items of interest for this Column. Call Phone 11, send by mail item in GUIDE-ADVOCATE LETTER.

LIVE GOS brought \$9.40 the GINGHAM tub dresses 98c.-KEEP in mind the Gwent June 11th.

REGULAR meeting of C Monday night.

THERE'S a fortune in it person who finds a remedy Home.

JUDGING from the Fitzgford case is now expected to June 6th.

WATFORD Court of Rev (Friday) at 10 o'clock, in Chamber.

WORK on the Carnegie delayed for a few days wait iron columns.

LADIES' coats at wholesale are overstocked.—SWIFTS.

NINE tailors are needed to put there are lots of chaps who are good with one.

BESIDES the usual shipper W. W. Edwards shipped a car to Toronto this week.

JUDGING from the school children's names nowadays their mothers were novel read.

THE Canadian mint has started, coined almost nine millions in silver and gold. They kept it all in Ottawa.

THIRTY-SEVEN fox companies a capital of two and three million dollars, were incorporated last session of the Prince Edw. Legislature. Beats real estate.

OUR worsted suitings made \$8.50 to \$27.50, have no equals Tailoring.

THE members of the Ors of Watford with delegations of Lodges will gather next Sunday in the Congregational church worship. Rev. R. Stevenson v a special sermon.

THE infant child of Rev. D. rector of Forest, died on Sunday from scarlet fever after hours illness. He was seized with convulsions which resulted in a fatal look place Sunday afternoon.

THE law says that auto driver light the lamps at sunset. License number must be secured back of the car and project back and must be kept very close to the car is liable to a fine.

SMART new tweeds for your suit.—SWIFTS' Tailoring Dept.

A SMALL quantity of carbonated paste, mullage and ink, went mouldy. An ounce of gallon of whitewash will kill and dairies from disagreeable off-taint milk and meat keep such pains.

A NEW JERSEY woman saw she saw the soul of a man leave as he expired. As she issued out of his mouth we are the good woman mistook a dig gas from the stomach for the spark.

THE Provincial Government's opposition to the proposed of the Public Library Act were that they have decided to change in the act at present in the Minister of Education have tied Secretaries of Library Board.

THE following is a new pr the Ontario Telephone Act: T may approve of regulations of company for the purpose of a willful interference with inter-conversations or messages over of any telephone system, and a who does so is liable to a fine of \$100.

New dress goods, new Bulg new dress trimmings, new SWIFTS'.

MONDAY, Tuesday and Wednesday 7th, 8th and 9th, has announced by the Canadian Forestry Convention the date of the Dominion Convention. The co which will be held in Winnipeg fair promise of being one of successful gatherings ever held West.

THE members of the County will be given a pleasant outing June session by Mr. H. Saunders Northern Hotel. They will leave at 7 a. m. on steamer Waukena troit, luncheon being served on They will be shown about the dinner will be served at the Hotel, leaving about 7.30 on a via Rapid Railway for Port Huron.

THE new paper money to be the United States treasury 5 inches long by 2 1/2 inches wide, 1 1/4 inches by 3 inches as press the backs there will not be the dollar mark of any figure of a no lettering except "U.S.A." central figure. There is no ha and in the expense of clear why the money will display, it will the paper money of other nations.

ANOTHER lot of 8 1/2 cent gingh muslins.—SWIFTS'.